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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 CFR § 1.114)

Sir:					
CFR	Ap \$1.1	•	nt(s) requests continued examination of the above-identified application under 37		
	Subr	Submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (check at least one of the following):			
		Prev	Previously submitted:		
			Applicant(s) requests nonentry of any previously-filed unentered amendments.		
		$\boxtimes$	Please enter and consider the Amendment After Final Under 37 CFR §1.116 filed herewith.		
			Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on		
			Other:		
	$\boxtimes$	Atta	Attached is/are:		
			An Information Disclosure Statement		
		$\boxtimes$	An Amendment to the written description, claims, or drawings		
			New Arguments and/or New Evidence in support of Patentability		

Other: One Month Extension of Time

	Req	uest for suspension of action:
	und	licant(s) hereby requests suspension of action on the above-identified application er 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not seed 3 months; requires Processing Fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i)).
	Sma	all Entity Status:
		Applicant(s) hereby asserts entitlement to claim small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.
		A small entity statement or assertion of entitlement to claim small entity status was filed in prior application no/ and such status is still proper and desired.
		Is no longer desired.
$\boxtimes$	App	licant(s) calculates the following fees to be due in connection with this Request:
	$\boxtimes$	A Request fee of \$810.00 under 37 CFR §1.17(e).
		A suspension processing fee of \$ under 37 CFR §1.17(i).
		An additional filing fee of \$ under 37 CFR §1.16 ( additional independent claims and/or additional total claims).
	$\boxtimes$	An extension fee of \$120.00 under 37 CFR §1.17(a) for a one-month extension of time. A Petition and Fee for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
$\boxtimes$	Fee	payment to cover the above-enumerated fee(s):
		A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
		Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$930.00. As noted on the attached Transmittal.
		A payment by credit card in the amount of \$ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
		The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE). A copy of this Request is enclosed for this purpose.
		Respectfully submitted,
<i>M</i> A Date	y 7	23, 2008 Sanders N. Hillis (Reg. No. 45,712)